My company is a large land developer in Florida with hundreds of new homes under construction. When it became obvious that Hurricane Frances would hit us directly, it was nearly impossible to coordinate preparations since our Nextel was in constant state of failure...in the days leading up to the storm. (After has been even worse) Losing our ability to communicate at such a crusial time put lives and property in grave danger and could have catostrophic consequesences. Other sysytems have not had these complete and constant failures.